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Recommended Configurations for Hosting SPS

- Workstations
 - DoD Recommended Minimum
 - Low-End Commercial Minimum
 - Optional Upgrade Workstation
- Servers
 - Low-End SPS Server
 - Mid-Range SPS Server
 - Mid - High-End Range SPS Server
 - High-End SPS Server
 - DMC Alternative



Configuration Recommendations: Workstations

DoD Recommended Minimum Workstation

- SPS Contract minimum configuration is based on 1995 version of DoD Recommended Minimum Configuration.
- DoD Minimum provides adequate operational capability to support PD² application processing.
- Detailed Configuration contains some items not identified in the Contract.



Configuration Recommendations: Workstations

Low-End Commercial Minimum

- Reflects current workstations available on Government Contracts
- Meets commercial standards for processing PD²



Configuration Recommendations: Workstations

Optional Upgrade Workstation (Recommended)

- Projection of future commercial product upgrades
- Specifications based on 3-5 year anticipated useful life
- Provided as as guideline to fulfill a broad spectrum of requirements associated with a Procurement user, including e-mail, EDI, and office suites.



Configuration Recommendations: Server Considerations

- **Server decisions should be based on a variety of factors, including:**
 - Number of users
 - Volume and Type of Contract actions
 - Archive/Storage requirements
 - Systems/Data Administration capabilities
 - Backup/COOP capabilities
- Only one PD² Database can be installed at each site (license agreement)



Configuration Recommendations: Low-End Server Option

- Designated for 2 - 30 Operational Users
- Configuration consists of:
 - Consists of 200MHz Intel Pentium Processor
 - Dual Processor (Upgradeable to 4 Processors)
 - 64 MB ECC RAM (Expandable to 500MB)
 - 5 GB Internal HD



Configuration Recommendations Mid-Range Server Option

- Supports 31 - 100 Operational Users
- Configuration consists of:
 - 200MHz + Intel Pentium Pro Processor
 - 2 Processor Boards (Supports up to 4 Intel Pentium Pro Processors)
 - 150MB ECC RAM (Expandable to 4 GB)
 - 20 GB Internal HD/20 GB Hot Swap Disk Arrays



Configuration Recommendations Mid-High-End Range SPS Server

- Supports 100 - 499 Operational Users
- Configuration Consists of:
 - 250 - 300MHz 2-4 Symmetrical Processors
 - 250MB ECC RAM (Expandable to 6GB)
 - 20 GB Internal HD; 50 GB Hot Swap Disk Array; Raid level 0,1,5



Configuration Recommendations High-End Servers

- Supports 500 + Operational Users
- Configuration consists of:
 - 300 - 400MHz 4 - 6 Symmetrical Processors
 - 500 MB ECC RAM (Expandable to 8 GB)
 - 20 GB Pedestal HD; 100 GB Hot Swap Disk Arrays;
Raid level 0,1,5



Configuration Recommendation Projected Cost

- GSA Schedule Approximate Prices
 - Client - Optional Recommended Upgrade Workstation = \$3,200
 - Low-End Server = \$5,000 - \$7,000
 - Mid-Range Server = \$12,000 - \$18,000
 - Mid-High-Range Server = \$15,000 - \$100,000
 - High Range Server = \$34,000 - \$112,000



Configuration Recommendations: DMC Server Alternative

Defense Megacenter (DMC) Configuration:

- Hewlett-Packard 9000 T520 minicomputer
- 6 processors
- 1GB of RAM
- Over 60 GB DASD
- Connected to ECPN and SDW via fiber backbone



Configuration Recommendations: DMC Server Alternative

- Services Provided:
 - Supports PD² at full functionality
 - Systems/Data Administration services provided
 - Backup/COOP services provided
- Program Office Support
 - Provide Funding for FY97/98 Processing